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Sir:

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- ☒ A response to the Office action dated November 26, 2004
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Amendment:.....42  
Less Highest Number of Total Claims  
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Difference.....0 × \$ 50 = \$ 0  
  
Independent Claims Remaining  
after Amendment.....3  
Less Highest Number of Independent  
Claims Previously Paid for.....6  
  
Difference.....0 × \$ 200 = \$ 0  
  
Multiple-Dependent-Claim Fee Required  
after Amendment and Not Previously Paid.....\$ 0  
  
Total of Above Calculations.....\$ 0  
Less Reduction for Small Entity .....\$ 0  
  
Total Due .....\$ 0

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